

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Finance Department – Dr. G.R. Reddy, IES (Retired) – Appointed as Advisor to Government, Finance Department, on contract for a period of one year - Orders Issued.

FINANCE (OP.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 4246

Dated.05.11.2012

ORDER:

1. The Union Government has decided to establish the Fourteenth Finance Commission under Article-280 of the Constitution of India. The Finance Commission recommends to the Government of India (GOI) the measures and methods on how revenues earned through various taxes are distributed between the Centre and the States. The Commission recommends for redressal of the imbalances between the taxation powers and expenditure responsibilities of the Centre and the States. The important role played by the Finance Commission includes the allocation of respective shares of net tax revenues earned by the GOI and laying down principles for distribution of Grant-in-aid to the States.
2. In this context, the State has to effectively present its case before the Finance Commission to obtain its fair share of revenues. The State Government is required to effectively place before the commission all the measures and steps taken to augment and boost consolidated Fund of the State and resources required for developmental activities and various schemes.
3. This requires extensive data collection from various departments and its analysis in order to prepare a comprehensive and a result oriented Memorandum to be presented to the Fourteenth Finance Commission. It is therefore felt necessary to contract the services of a professional economist with extensive knowledge of the financial management systems of the union and state governments, wide experience in centre-state fiscal relations and above all sound knowledge of development economics.
4. After detailed review of its database, the Government has found that Dr. G.R. Reddy IES (Retd.), who worked with the Government of India as well as Government of Andhra Pradesh for a considerable period in senior assignments and has had significant experience working closely with successive Finance Commissions, as the most suitable person to assist the Government with all work relating to the Finance Commission and allied matters.

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5. Accordingly, the Government hereby appoint Dr. G.R. Reddy, IES (Retd.) as Adviser to the Government, Finance Department, on contract basis for a period of one year from the date of Dr Reddy assuming charge of the assignment.

6. Dr. G.R. Reddy IES (Retd.) on his appointment as the Adviser to Government in Finance department will perform the following tasks:

- (a) Assisting the Finance Department with the preparation of the Memorandum to the 14th Finance Commission and in steering the proposals successfully before the Commission.
- (b) Assisting the Finance Department in holding consultations with the government departments, research institutions, private sector entities, industry and IT establishments and civil societies organizations that would contribute to the preparation of State Government Memorandum to the 14th Finance Commission.
- (c) Study the economic trends of the state, analyse the performance of priority sectors of the state's economy and bring out analytical reports that will contribute to evidence-based policy making.
- (d) Any other item of work that may be assigned by the government from time to time.

7. The appointment of Dr Reddy as Advisor to the Government is subject to the following conditions:

- (i) The officer would execute a contract of appointment with the Government on a stamped paper.
- (ii) The duration of the contract would be for a period of one year from the date of execution of the contract by both parties.
- (iii) The designation of Dr Reddy would be Advisor to the Government, Finance Department.
- (iv) A lump sum remuneration of Rs. 85,000 per month inclusive of all allowances.
- (v) He will be provided the usual entitlements on par with a Special Secretary to the Government of AP, including transport, office, access to phone and internet (at home and office), private secretary / personal assistant, etc.
- (vi) He will be eligible for leave as per the State Government leave rules.
- (vii) He will be eligible to travel by air for all official purposes and will be provided with the assistance of a Personal Assistant (Steno-Typist).
- (viii) Appointment is further subject to the Guidelines issued by Finance (SMPC) Department on the subject of contract appointment.

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8. The expenditure pertaining to the Advisor shall be debited to the following head of account:

MH:2052 -Secretariat General Services
MH:090 Secretariat
SH (06): Finance Department
300: Other Contractual services

9. The Finance (Claims) Department shall draw and disburse the entitlements to the Officer.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA
PRADESH)**

**MINNIE MATHEW
CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE
GOVERNMENT**

To
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Copy to:

The Deputy Pay and Accounts Officer, Secretariat Branch, Hyderabad.
The Finance (Claims) Department.
The Finance (FC/SMPC/OP.II) Department.
The Principal Accountant General (A&E), A.P., Hyderabad.
The P.S's to PFS (PFS (R&E).
SF/SC's.

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SECTION OFFICER